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NEW GOODS.

Our New Stock of Fall and Winter Goods, consisting of

MEN'S & BOYS' CLOTHING,

Is now complete. We have an extra large assortment of MEN'S and BOYS' OVERCOATS, which will be sold at bottom prices. Also, full lines of GENTS' FURNISHINGS, HATS, CAPS, UMBRELLAS, &c. Suits made to order in first-class style.

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VICTORIA, B. C.

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Advertisements under this head, three insertions 50 cents: six insertions, 75 cents.

WANTED—A young girl to help in family without children; will have a pleasant home. Address M. TIMES office. nov24 3t

WANTED—A respectable woman desires light work by the day or week; Sewing 50 cents per day. FURNISHED ROOM to rent suitable for one or two respectable gentlemen. Apply or address Mrs. Estes, next door to Philharmonic Hall, Fort street. nov24

WANTED—A Girl to do general House work and plain cooking; no washing; comfortable home to a suitable person. Apply at this Office. nov 22-3t

WANTED—A good Tailor. Address "G" TIMES Office. nov 19

IF YOU WANT.—Farm hands, Labourers, Mechanics, Cooks, Waiters, or any kind of labour done. We make no charge. B. C. E. Bureau, PICKERING & Co. oc 28

WANTED—A gentleman of large experience in Insurance, Mercantile and Banking business, wants employment. Will make himself useful in any capacity. References given. Address Y. H., TIMES office. nov17 2w

For Sale.

FOR SALE.—An established Hotel business with a paying trade centrally situated, within a short distance of the Post Office. A good investment for a good man with CASH. Address, for particulars, "HOTEL," TIMES office.

FOR SALE.—About 50 acres of excellent land along the line of Island Railway, suitable for all purposes and near to proposed Railway Station. Plenty of water on the property. Address "FARMER," TIMES Office. aug 21-

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FOR RENT.—The commodious store next to the Poodle Dog Rotisserie. For particulars inquire at the restaurant. oct 21-tf

Lost.

ON or about the 9th inst., a LADY'S GOLD RING, set with pearls and rubies. It is a valuable heirloom to the owner, who will liberally reward the finder by leaving it at the Brunswick Hotel, Yates street. nov20 6t

B. C. EXPRESS CO.
(LIMITED.)

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Will continue to be received at the office of the Company and forwarded with care and dispatch at following rates:

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Receipts given in all instances and Company responsible for safe delivery.

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NAVAL CONTRACTS.

Fresh Beef, Mutton, and Vegetables.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED ON BEHALF of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty until Noon of SATURDAY, the 4th December next, for supplying such quantities of Fresh Beef, Mutton, and Vegetables, as may be required for Navy purposes, for one year certain from the 1st February, 1887.

Their Lordships do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender, and they reserve to themselves the power of accepting any part of a tender.

Forms of Tender containing all particulars may be obtained at this office on written or personal application.

JAMES H. INNES,
Naval Storekeeper, &c.
Royal Naval Yard,
Esquimalt, 2nd November, 1886. no 9-td

B. C. Milling and Mining Co.,
(LIMITED.)

ASSESSMENT No. 9

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that an assessment of one cent per share has been levied upon the members of the above company, payable at the company's Office, Langley Street Victoria.

The stock on which the above assessment remains unpaid after the first day of December next shall from and after that date be deemed delinquent. Dated 12th Nov., 1886, by order of the Directors.

GEO. A. SARGISON,
nov 13 Secretary.

Mechanics' Institute Library.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that no more Books will be issued after this date and in view of transferring the Library to City Council, all persons holding Books, Magazines or Papers, are requested to hand them into the Librarian on or before Wednesday, 24th inst.

By order of the Committee of Management.
November 20th 1886. nov 20

Meetings to be Held.

ST. ANDREWS and CALEDONIAN Society meets in their hall, Broughton street, between Government and Broad streets, on the FIRST FRIDAY of every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join.
sep 1-1y WILLIAM SCOTT, Secretary.

AN ENTERTAINMENT IS GIVEN AT TEMperance Hall every Saturday evening. Good Temperance speakers and Musical Selections, with Recitations, forming a good programme. The Blue Ribbon Band will be in attendance. All are cordially invited. Chair taken at 7:30 o'clock precisely. S. GRAY, President.

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CIGARS.
SMOKE!
The Creme de la Creme
CIGARS.
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THE NOISY BOYS
CIGARS.
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VICTORIA THEATRE.

Three Nights only, commencing on Tuesday, Nov. 23.

First appearance in Victoria of the renowned Operatic Artists

T. Wilmott Eckert and Louise Leighton,

Supported by a powerful Company of acknowledged artists in the funniest of all Musical Comedies, written expressly for them, entitled

FUN IN CAMP.

During the play the following Comic Opera will be produced: THE VEILED SONGSTRESS, by Glover. Change of bill second night—PYGMALION AND GALATEA, by F. Von Suppe.

Reserved Seats on sale at Waitt & Co.'s Book Store.

For particulars, see small bills. nov19 5t

A. O. F.

Annual Social Dance.

THE ANNUAL SOCIAL DANCE under the auspices of Court Vancouver, No. 5755, A. O. F., will be held at the Theatre Comique, on Friday, Dec. 10th, 1886, commencing at 8 o'clock p.m.

Tickets, $2, admitting Gentleman and Ladies, can be had of the following Committee:

GEO. W. ANDERSON. H. O'BRIEN,
G. MARTIN. H. CAMERON,
G. W. WYNNE. nov9 td

ANNUAL DINNER.

The St. Andrew's and Caledonia SOCIETY'S

Annual Dinner will be held in the DRIARD HOUSE on

Tuesday, Nov. 30th, 1886,

At half-past 7 p.m.

TICKETS, $3 each, can be had from any members of the Committee.
nov17 ROBERT MITCHELL, Secretary.

Roller Skating Rink

NOW OPEN EVERY

Saturday.

TO RENT for Balls, Sport, &c., &c., every day and evening except Saturday.

OUR TIMBER WEALTH.

"Has not the time arrived to preserve our forest wealth from falling into the hands of persons who desire to lock up the valuable properties for an indefinite number of years?"

The above, from the *Colonist*, is perhaps as strong a censure of the government land and timber policy as could be expected from a government organ. But had it gone further, and said that the policy of the government, in alienting the crown lands of the province, and in giving away—practically making presents—to timber sharks of immense areas of our timber wealth, was an outrage upon the people and a crime against the State, it would not have overstated or exaggerated the case. During the past year, agents of eastern capitalists—one of them we know of representing over $10,000,000—have resided in the province buying up our timber lands at the government price of $2.50 per acre. Immense blocks of the finest timber in the world have been forever alienated from the Crown, and sold directly to private speculators, whose object is, not to build mills and cut the timber, but to hold for an advance, which is just as certain to come as the imbecility of the government is to be thereby manifested. It is true that this shameful waste of provincial wealth should forever cease, and we call upon the government to reserve its senseless and ruinous policy. The timber land of the country is the country's capital, by the proper investment of which a large annual revenue can be derived for the provincial treasury. Ontario derives hundreds of thousands yearly from this source, and while the timber lasts lumber cutting will help to swell the treasury of that province. But in British Columbia the land and timber is sold *holus bolus* for less than the value for firewood of an average-sized fir tree, and, our capital being sacrificed, the revenue is forever gone. If our contemporary will join with us in a crusade on this question against the government, it can be made so warm for them that a radical change in the law will be wrung from the ministry during the forthcoming session of the House.

KOOTENAY NEWS.

Mining Operations Next Summer--Member for Yale--Mail Facilities.

From Kootenay we learn that Galbraith Bros. purpose putting three little giant hydraulics on Wild Horse Creek next summer, with a view to working the benches, which are known to be rich. Cochrane and Brady have been actively at work all summer preparing for operations on Findlay Creek, for which they procured an extensive franchise from the legislature two sessions ago. When they get to work it is expected the results will fully compensate them for the necessarily large outlay involved.

Mr. R. L. T. Galbraith, ex-M. P. P., has been earnestly solicited, by many old supporters, to contest Yale constituency at the next election for the Commons. Mr. Galbraith is a Liberal-Conservative, and if business engagements do not stand in the way of his candidature would very probably be returned by a large majority. His experience in the local house and his large interests in Kootenay, would be a guarantee that the representation of that important constituency would fall into excellent hands.

As an indication of the revolution in trade following the construction of the Canadian Pacific Railway, the Galbraith Bros., who are the largest traders in Kootenay, will next year purchase in Montreal and ship over the Canadian route. Formerly this firm made all its purchases in San Francisco and Portland, transporting them over the Northern Pacific. Now, all this will be changed, and while the C. P. R. will become the carriers to and from that extensive district, the merchants of Montreal will have a new and growing market added to their territory.

The visits of the mail carrier are few and very far between. Six trips in summer and two in winter, or eight mails in the year, constitute the whole service. No doubt when the new route down the Columbia is operated, the mail arrangements will be improved and at least a fortnightly mail be provided.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

The sweep made by the Liberals in the recent Legislative election in this province was a complete one, carrying every seat in Queens, Kings and Prince Counties:

Queens county, first district—Hon. A. B. Mackenzie, Liberal, defeating Hon. William Campbell, Commissioner of Public Works. Majority 100. Second district—Richard Smith, Liberal, defeating Alex. Martin, Conservative, by 85 majority.

Kings county, first district—Thomas Kickham, Liberal, defeating Charles McEachern, Conservative, majority 130. Second district—John G. Scrimgeour, Liberal, defeating George Owen, Conservative.

Prince county, first district—Hon. B. Rogers, Liberal, defeating James Barclay, Conservative, majority 400. Second district—Hon. Alex. Laird, Liberal, defeating Hon. Stewart Burns, a member of the Conservative Provincial government; majority about 250. City of Charlottetown—Hon. T. W. Todd, Liberal, defeating Alex. Horne, Conservative. Majority 158.

Seven of the thirteen members of the council were elected on the 11th inst., and the parties in the Upper House now stand, Liberals 11, Conservatives 2, thus: Liberals, Messrs. Rogers, Murphy, Laird, McNutt, Balderson, Mackenzie, Dodd, Smith, Scrimgeour, Fraser and Kickham.

Conservatives, Messrs. Clow and Nicholson.

The output of coal from the Springhill collieries, Nova Scotia, for the month of October was 39,700 gross tons. The collieries are working steadily to fill orders. Eleven hundred men are employed.

It now transpires that there is no appropriation with which to defray the expense of diffusing Liberty's light over New York harbor. Mr. Bartholdi's statue will not, therefore, for the present be illuminated. It costs $70 per night to supply the electric lighting.

VANCOUVER ISLAND

As Described by Joel Cooke in the "London Times."

No Waters in the World Equal to These--The Straits.

THE ISLAND OF VANCOUVER,

from an artistic standpoint, is highly attractive, but much of it will only entice the tourist and not the farmer. The numerous lakes among the mountain ridges, the promontories, capes, deep bays, and pretty islets, give an endless variety of charms of scenery. There is, however, good cultivation in the neighborhood of Victoria, and the most luscious fruits and vegetables are easily raised. Like nearly all of British Columbia, it needs population for proper development. Its coasts have good harbors, the best known being Esquimalt, adjoining Victoria on the westward, one of the chief havens on the Pacific and a British naval rendezvous. Departure Bay and the adjacent harbors of Nanaimo on the eastern coast, about 75 miles northward of Victoria, are bituminous coal shipping points, which supply nearly 200,000 tons annually for general export. These coals are sold at 10s. to 16s. per ton at the pit's mouth, and go to all parts of the Pacific. The Straits of Georgia, to which I have referred as separating Vancouver from the mainland of British Columbia, varies from an inconsiderable width to 25 miles, and contains innumerable islands. It is a part of the vast inland chain of navigable waters stretching from Oregon up to Alaska. This is a wonderful labyrinth of water courses, winding almost endlessly for thousands of miles among the network of islands, peninsulas, rocks and promontories, unruffled by any ocean swells, and at every turn presenting new beauties of scenery. This vast chain of

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fronts the entire Pacific coast of British Columbia, giving every facility for intercommunication either by the largest or the frailest vessel. Beginning at the southern extremity with that charming entrance from the sea between Vancouver and the States, named after the ancient Greek who is supposed either to have dreamed about it, or else said it ought to be here—the Strait of Juan de Fuca—these placid waters are prolonged at Puget Sound for some 280 miles inland. Of this sound and its advantages the American Commodore Wilkes, who explored it about 30 years ago, reported to the United States Government, "I venture nothing in saying there is no country in the world that possesses waters equal to these." He adds that not a shoal exists which can in any way interrupt navigation by a 74-gun ship; that the shores of all the inlets and bays are remarkably bold, so much so that a ship's side would strike the shore before the keel would strike the ground, and that the rise and fall of the tide, about 18 feet, affords every facility for the erection of works for a great maritime nation. Northward for over 1,000 miles from Puget Sound there is a great salt water river, upon which regular steamer lines sail to Alaska, and this route from Victoria has become the latest fashionable tourist trip by Americans from both sides of the boundary.

MAINLAND INDIANS.

Leaving the very youthful but expanding town of Vancouver, we started for a pleasant sail upon the smooth clear waters of the Strait of Georgia for Victoria. The steamer, moving with the rapid tide, which runs at eight or nine knots an hour, passes swiftly by the bold shores bordering the Narrows at the entrance of Burrard Inlet. The waters are covered with Indian canoes, where all hands, men, women, and children, are fishing for salmon. This is the great Indian occupation at this season, and all about this extensive region of island waters the canoe is the family carriage of Indian and white man alike, for the smooth surface makes it as safe as the deck of the great steamer. These are the lands of Hydah and the Timpsean and the Siwash. They were once great fighters, and came out in their 80 ft. canoes and had naval battles that would have done honor to more civilized races in their deeds of bravery and carnage. But now the Hydah is said to have adopted most of the vices of civilization, varied with skilful fishing, and many of the others are respected sons of the church and packers of salmon for shipment to all parts of the world. These formerly warlike races have become peaceable, and they are quite willing to work for the money of the white man. * * *

THE RELICS

of these Indians were once numerous, and particularly the "totem pole," the heraldic staff on which months were often spent in elaborate ornamentation. These "totems" exhibit fine wood carvings and painting, and were made to contain the cremated remains of the chieftain whose achievements the decorations commemorated. They were set up as monuments, and were often of great length, bearing figures representing the history and legends of the tribe. The genuine "totems" are becoming scarce, however, but their place is amply filled by an extensive supply displayed in the shop windows of poles of modern manufacture, and decorated by enterprising Yankee ingenuity in this later day with designs and colors often far more gorgeous than the originals.

THE STRAITS OF GEORGIA.

We pass out of Burrard Inlet, and the gray mountains of Vancouver Island are seen rising in front of us, and the prow turns southward through the Strait of Georgia. As we steam along these bold shores rise prominently on the right hand, while to the left are the great forest-covered mountain ridges of the British Columbia coast, running down to the water's edge, and having between them an extensive series of deeply indented inlets and sounds. Behind them are the still higher peaks of the Cascade range, stretching northward as far as the eye can see. But to the southward the land gradually falls away to a level at the delta caused by the double outfall of the Fraser river and the low but fertile islands it encloses. To the south-east is seen the magnificent peak of Mount Baker, in the Straits, just below the boundary rising far away, a perfect gem of a mountain, entirely covered with snow, upon which the western sun shines brightly. The fertile delta of the Fraser river is a region of great agricultural richness, capable of sustaining a much larger population than now occupies the land. Its yield of fruits and vegetables is prodigious, and there is steadily poured upon it the rich soils scoured out by thousands of miles of mountain torrents. All it needs is a market to dispose of its produce. The Fraser is also the great

FISH-CANNING REGION,

of British Columbia, and sends thousands of tons of packed salmon away, much of it to England. The Indians catch the fish and the Chinese clean them, and both profit by the work, which is now at the height of its season. Extensive arrangements are making for the export of fish and fruits in refrigerator cars and vessels by quick transit between this coast and England, a trade that will be of great benefit to Victoria and New Westminster, the flourishing town near the mouth of the Fraser. Having passed this rich delta, the steamer sets over towards Vancouver Island, and is soon threading a maze of smaller islands of all shapes and sizes with the most beautiful channels between them. They generally have high rocky shores and are covered with trees. Settlers are few, there being an occasional cabin of an Indian or an eccentric white man who prefers solitude, broken only by the company of a few sheep.

WE THREAD THIS MAZE

for miles, and finally get between the archipelago and the Vancouver shore, which rises as a dark gray threatening mountain ridge, tapering off as the southern end is approached. There are few channel marks or beacons, although the whole region has been accurately surveyed. The ship channel from Nanaimo down is reasonably well marked, but it is thought an improvement will be made, as both the military and naval authorities have recently turned their attention to these waters. The completion of the railway having opened a new military route from England to the East, the coasts are being examined to select suitable sites for fortifications, and it is thought that an extensive military establishment will be created at Esquimalt, in which both England and Canada will join.

THE FRASER DELTA.

What is Going on in the District of New Westminster—Rapidly Developing.

Mr. Adam Innes returned a few days ago from an extended tour through the New Westminster district. In traveling from Vancouver to the Royal City he found the roads to be almost impassable. Vancouver, within the past two months, has improved wonderfully. There he beheld a large number of new, substantial buildings in process of erection, many of which would be a credit to any of our eastern cities.

The completion of the railway to New Westminster, and the running of passenger and freight trains into the centre of that burg, gives the Royal City a metropolitan-like appearance. On Thanksgiving day fully 500 tickets were sold to excursionists who went for a trip over the line as far as Port Moody and Hammond. It was the first trip many of those on board had on a railway, and they enjoyed its novelty very much.

The Yale trunk road to Langley Prairie is in very bad repair. There is a considerable traffic now on this road, which is steadily increasing, keeping pace with the rapid increase in the number of settlers who daily are locating in this fine section. Many of the bridges are reported to be in a very shaky condition and practically unsafe for traffic.

A few days travel through the district has convinced Mr. Innes that the increase in the number of settlers this year has been much larger than people generally suppose. The great number of new houses—and very comfortable and substantial many of these are—as well as the out-buildings, and the clearances being made, all attest the fact that the settlers are pushing, persevering and industrious. This year their labors have been rewarded by an abundant harvest, for which they are devoutly thankful. At present they are busy threshing in many sections, whilst in others they are busily engaged in bringing their grain and other products to market. Fair prices are being realized for all the farmer has to sell. So that it may fairly be claimed that the past season has been to them a favorable one. A large quantity of fall plough has been done this year. The area and breadth to be put under crop next season will be larger than on any previous occasion.

A new steam thresher has been secured by the Boyes Bros., who occupy the Ontario farm, in Langley, from London, Ont. The new machine will be of the very latest pattern and embrace all modern improvements. It will be a great advantage to the settlers to have such a machine as these enterprising gentlemen are about to import.

Notwithstanding the many new houses erected in the district, it is not an infrequent occurrence to find more than one family living under the same roof, so scarce is the dwelling house accommodation.

The telegraph arrangements are not considered satisfactory, and a project is on foot for the establishing of a central office in some locality that would accommodate the settlers of Langley Prairie, Clover Valley, Langley and Mud Bay.

The scheme of building a line of railway from Ladner's Landing to Chilliwhack, parallel with the boundary line, is discussed, and it is quite within the probabilities that the modern civilizer—the railway—will be in operation in the South as well as on the North side of the Fraser ere many years pass away.

Of election matters Mr. Innes heard much. While Messrs. McGillivray and Trapp have many supporters, Mr. Donald Chisholm's friends far out-number those of his opponents, and his triumphant election is generally conceded.

BOUND TO HAVE IT.

Mr. T. G. Simpson, of the Ogilvie Milling Co., Winnipeg, who visited Victoria about six weeks ago, is again in the city. Since he left here he has been in the eastern provinces, where a brisk competition has sprung up between the local millers there and the Winnipeg mills. Notwithstanding the fact that the Ogilvie's have mills at Goderich and Seaforth, Ont., and at Montreal, there is a decided demand for Winnipeg brands in these localities. The Company's mills are run to their full capacity—the daily output being over 4,000 bbls. So far as the trade of this coast is concerned recent further concessions have been made by the C. P. R. to eastern millers, enabling them to ship to Victoria advantageously. The demand for Winnipeg flour is undoubtedly increasing in British Columbia, and the shipments already sent here by the Ogilvie's having proved so satisfactory to the bakers, as well as to private families, orders have been duplicated to such an extent that the determination is now arrived at that the shipments hereafter will steadily increase. There can be no question now as to the extent and magnitude the inter provincial trade is certain to assume.

A PROMISING PROVINCE.

Surveyor-General Deville Returns to Ottawa from his Tour to British Columbia.

A Land of Great Promise—Surveying the Railway Belt—Fruit Culture.

Capt. E. G. Deville, Dominion Surveyor-General, has returned to Ottawa from his transcontinental trip, and to a *Journal* reporter gave the following interesting particulars of the work accomplished in British Columbia by the surveyors and astronomers of the Interior Department. Capt. Deville left Ottawa for Winnipeg on the 31st of August. At the latter place he was engaged several days in effecting a settlement in dispute regarding the survey of old Manitoba trails now in progress. From Winnipeg he proceeded to Calgary where the same programme was gone through with. It happens that many of the settlers in that district while approving of the surveys, objected to trails crossing their respective properties. Capt. Deville met several of his surveyors, and on hearing the history of the case, instructed them to continue the work, as the ordinances of the Northwest Territories permit surveyors to select the most desirable route. Banff, where the famous springs were discovered, and which is situated in the Canadian National Park, proved the next stopping place. The remainder of the trip can best be described in his own words. "I was simply charmed with the place" said the Surveyor General, "and think it will ere many years elapse prove the favorite health resort of the continent. The Arkansas Hot Springs, is the only resort that can attempt to compare with it. With law and order prevailing at Banff, the American sanitarium with all its attendant attractions, will soon be obliged to give up its popularity to the former. The scenery of

THE CANADIAN NATIONAL PARK

is sublime, in fact is unsurpassed if equalled in the world. Towering and snow-clad peaks, yawning chasms, fearful precipices, swift streams, noisy cascades and scores of little lakes, with a bright blue sky overhead combine to form a picture which words utterly fail to describe. The work of laying out the park is now well advanced. The surveyor selected for this purpose was supplied with the necessary instruments during my visit. He was also given an assistant. The Canadian Pacific Railway proposes to erect a hundred thousand dollar hotel there. The temporary quarters provided by Dr. Brett are filled with guests. After a few days' stay in Banff, I proceeded west, stopping at nearly every second station along the line, as far as Kamloops, in order to instruct the various surveyors at work within the railway belt. I was greatly impressed with the stupendous character of the transcontinental road, especially the numerous feats of engineering accomplished in stretching the rails across the unknown regions of the Selkirks and Rockies. Very few tunnels are seen until Frazer Canyon is approached. Then the train winds in and out round mountain tops, traverses the bosom of the earth or smoothly

GLIDES OVER CANYONS

yawning thousands of feet beneath. The line in the mountains is effectually patrolled night and day, greatly diminishing the liability from accidents. At Silver City, I found the Government surveyor making satisfactory progress. At Field my next acquaintance proved to be Otto Klotz, of Winnipeg, the astronomer sent out by the department with the object of obtaining the exact longitude of the region extending to Kamloops. Mr. Klotz was engaged conducting a series of interesting and delicate experiments, determining by means of instantaneous telegraphy with Kamloops the desired information. Field is located at the foot of Mount Stephen, and the scenery in the vicinity is equal to that on any part of the road. The C. P. R. has completed a grand hotel and spacious dining room at this place. The directors of the company, anticipating an influx of tourists there, have decided to dam up the Kicking Horse river at its lower end, forming a lake three or four miles in extent and entirely surrounded by snow-capped mountains. Mountain sheep are plentiful, but I regard the stories about grizzlies as very mythical.

AT REVELSTOKE,

I met Mr. J. J. McArthur, of Aylmer, Que., who is making a topographical survey of all the mountains thereabouts. His task is no trivial one as he is obliged in taking observations to daily clamber up to the summit of the highest peaks. Photography greatly assists him in making measurements. Mr. McArthur's plan will be engaged and printed as soon as handed into the Government. "At Kamloops" resumed Mr. Deville, "I saw Mr. Ogilvie, of Ottawa, who was sent out to take astronomical observations. Two surveyors also spent the summer there in subdividing government lands within the railway belt. I next proceeded direct to Victoria, where we had a surveyor employed copying the records of the Lands and Works Department at New Westminster, which I subsequently visited. I held an examination for Dominion Land surveyors. I was delighted with the province and think that its importance and resources have been greatly under-estimated.

THE TIMBER WEALTH

of the province is enormous while there are thousands of acres of grazing lands. The extent of territory adapted for agriculture is also larger than has been imagined in the past. Passengers traversing the country, do not form a good conception of the province as the fertile valleys are enclosed within rocky barriers. No effort of any account has yet been made to develope the mineral resources of the province. Galena mines are being successfully worked in the railway belt. I think that the importance of British Columbia as a fruit producing centre can not be over-estimated."

"In conclusion" added the Surveyor-General "I believe British Columbia has a great future. Our surveys are well advanced and so far they appear to be giving perfect satisfaction to the people." Capt. Deville brought a camera along with him and brought home scores of views taken at points between Calgary and the Pacific.

During the stay of Mr. Justin McCarthy in Toronto, he will be the guest of Hon. Edward Blake.

A rich and extensive vein of copper was recently discovered at George's River, Cape Breton. It has been bonded to American capitalists for sixty million dollars.

TELEGRAPHIC NEWS

AMERICAN HAPPENINGS.

A POWERFUL ORGANIZATION.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 24.—The Knights of Labor have begun an important movement among the skilled iron workers, by organizing an Assembly of skilled workmen at the Elba Iron and Balks works. The Assembly at present is composed of heaters and rollers; but it is the intention to admit the puddlers in a few days. All men enrolled are members of the Amalgamated Association, and it is intended that they shall remain so. This is the beginning of a general movement for the enrollment of the skilled iron and steel workers, as the Knights of Labor are all still retaining their membership in the Amalgamated Association. The object is to have a dual organization and thus to increase their power by being backed, not only by the Amalgamated Association, but also by the whole order of the Knights of Labor.

GEN. MACFEELY'S REPORT.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 24.—In his annual report to the Secretary of War, General Macfeely, Commissary General, says, his bureau expended $3,175,000 during the last fiscal year, leaving still a balance on hand of $609,000. The average contract price of fresh beef during the year was 8.38 cents as against 9.75 cents of the preceding fiscal year. Subsistences supplies amounting in value to $410,000 were transferred to the Interior Department during the year for the maintenance of the Indians. The extra duty paid for enlisted men in his department amounted to $27,000. General Macfeely recommends that Congress be urged to provide for the enlistment of one cook to each troop battery company and depot of recruits, and a cook and a baker for each garrisoned post.

BRITISH STEAMER ASHORE.

BOSTON, Nov. 24.—A dispatch from Barrington, N. S., says the British steamer Selina, Capt. Potter, from Antwerp, Nov. the 4th, for Boston is ashore at Cape Sable. No particulars yet received.

THE CLEVELAND MURDERER.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Nov. 24.—Wheeler, the miser, was bound over to the Common Pleas Court yesterday without bail for murdering his wife was released on furnishing $20,000 bail by Judge McKinly.

ANOTHER MILLIONAIRE GONE.

DETROIT, Nov. 24.—Francis Palms, one of the oldest and wealthiest citizens of this city, died this morning. He leaves an estate worth from fifteen to eighteen thousand dollars.

DISCHARGED.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—The McQuade jury disagreed and have been discharged.

EX-PRESIDENT ARTHUR'S WILL.

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—The will of the late ex-President Arthur, which was made in March last, will probably be filed for probate to-morrow. It is believed to direct the disposal of about 325,000 of real and personal property. It is said that bequests, except in one or two instances in which charitable institutions are benefited, are of a private nature.

CALIFORNIA'S GOVERNORSHIP.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 23.—The canvas of the full official vote in San Francisco was completed to-day. The vote for governor is: Bartlett, 17,449; Swift, 15,675; Bartlett's plurality in San Francisco is 1,774; Swift's plurality outside of the city is 1,147; Bartlett's net plurality in the whole state is 627.

A HORRIBLE TRAGEDY.

A Whole Family Slaughtered by a Fiend. Five are Killed and Others Severely Wounded.

A special from Toronto, dated the 18th inst., states that a dispatch had been received in that city from White River, a station on the C. P. R., north of Lake Superior, and not far from Wichipicoten, stating that a horrible tragedy had been committed there on the 17th. It appears that one Charles Williams, a storekeeper, on Sunday night found his wife in a compromising situation with R. K. O'Brien, who has been employed here for some weeks preparing the Canadian Pacific track for the winter. Williams, armed with a heavy stick, flew at O'Brien, when the latter, quickly recovering himself, drew a revolver and shot Williams dead. The noise attracted the other occupants of Williams' house, and to shield his crime O'Brien shot Williams' father as he was entering the room partly dressed. Having no more cartridges, as Williams' mother put in an appearance and screamed, startled by the sight of her husband lying weltering in life's blood, the murderer seized a heavy chair and struck a cruel blow, which laid her senseless before him. To conclude his work he beat her until her head was reduced to a pulp with a heavy stick of stove wood. Two of Williams' three children were then disposed of with the same club, which ended the existence of the old lady. The youngest boy, only 18 months old, was spared, as he could bear no evidence against the murderer. O'Brien then stabbed his paramour four times above the heart and left her for dead. He then fired the house and left hurriedly. Attracted by the flames the neighbors came to the relief and succeeded in removing the bodies of the killed and Mrs. Williams and her infant son from the burning building. Mrs. Williams lived long enough to make a statement of the affair to the authorities, and then expired. The officers quickly started in pursuit of the assassin, and he was arrested about 25 miles from the scene of the tragedy. He denied the crime, and claims to be able to prove an alibi. There are, however, many circumstances against him, and it is more than probable he will be lynched.

CONSIGNEES.

Per R P Rithet, from New Westminster, Nov 23—T Nelson, Neufelder & [illegible], J C Anderson, R Beauchamp, Cowan, Shaw & Co, T J Jones, R Baker & Son, W H Redmond, W Prout, D Spencer, M Boskowitz, D G Express, C L Houson, M Lenz, O H Maynard, F C Gamble, T E Ladner, F S Barnard, S Leiser, A Cowan, Carne & M, E G Prior, Fell & Co, G Robertson, J Rowbotham, J Weiler, J H Todd & Son, S L Kelly, McLean & McN, Oliver Turnbull, S J Pitts, R Jameison, R Carr, Vict Rice Mill, W & J Wilson, W Whitfield, W Wood, W E & Co.

Per Princess Louise, from Burrard Inlet, Nov 23—Dom Ex Co, N Smith, Mrs Wm Wilson, B T Williams, McLennan & McFeeley.

—Money saved by having your plans made by [illegible], the ARCHITECT 1

The Daily Times.

PUBLISHED EVERY AFTERNOON EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Victoria, Wednesday, Nov. 24, 1886.

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STEALING OUR THUNDER.

A Vancouver paper has said that THE TIMES is bound to show proof that the *Columbian* gets its dispatches by unfair means, and the latter journal, to show that it approves of the remark, copies it. The *Columbian's* assurance is only surpassed by its vanity; and in order that there shall be no mistaking our charge, we will repeat it, and call upon the Frazer river organ to plead guilty or not guilty. The only papers in British Columbia having contracts with the Western Associated Press previous to the establishment of the daily *Columbian*, were the two leading Victoria dailies—THE TIMES and *Colonist*. For these dispatches these two papers—each on its own behalf—made special contracts, at what may fairly be described enormous expense. The service for each newspaper—one being an evening and the other a morning journal—necessitated three contracts for each; that is, (1) the Western Associated Press is paid a stated sum per thousand words daily for transmission to the boundary; (2) an agent is paid a monthly salary for compilation, and (3) a stipulated sum is paid to the C. P. R. Co. (recently the Dominion Government) for transmission from the boundary to Victoria. These dispatches pass through New Westminster, and when in transit are "caught on the fly" as it were, and a copy given to the *Columbian*. The price paid, we repeat, is only a nominal one as compared with the price charged to the real owners of the dispatches. The arrangement is not only unfair—it is dishonorable on the part of the telegraph management; and the only satisfactory point about it is that it cannot last long. On the principle that the receiver is as bad as the thief, the editor of the New Westminster journal is as deep in the mud as the soulless telegraph corporation is in the mire. Proof, absolute and incontrovertible, will be forthcoming if the editor of the *Columbian* will publish *his* contract with the telegraph company. Ours will be given at any time. However, under a new order of things, soon to obtain, our contemporary will be unable to deck itself out in borrowed plumage and then brag of its good looks. The tub will have to stand on its own bottom.

THE NEXT LIBERAL LEADER.

Advices from England indicate that Mr. JOHN MORLEY, by his bold and adroit management of the English Liberal party at the Leeds Conference, has made himself virtually its leader. He will of course be guided by GLADSTONE's counsel, but himself is to be the acting general in the field. Some have supposed that HARCOURT might take the place of leader, next after the G. O. M. himself; but already the event at Leeds has settled the dispute in MORLEY's favor. MORLEY declared that there would be no surrender on the question of Home Rule for Ireland, which he said would yet have to be settled on the lines already laid down by Mr. GLADSTONE. So decided was he on this point that our cable correspondent says it looks as if the last bell had rung for the return of the Liberal dissenters—HARTINGTON, CHAMBERLAIN, *et al.* Another says, that, without definitely rejecting the dissident Liberal, the head conference has declared for such a platform as makes it impossible for them to co-operate. Moreover, he adds the cleavage between the two sections of the party is increasing in other ways, owing to the very advanced Radicalism of some of the "planks" worked into the platform. In another direction the Conference has done an act which must keep the Home Rulers and the CHAMBERLAIN section apart for a long time to come. Mr. MORLEY's speech, delivered from written notes just after a visit to Hawarden, suggests the origin of the attack upon Mr. CHAMBERLAIN. For the first time a leading public man had declared Mr. CHAMBERLAIN to be at the head of a combination to drive Mr. GLADSTONE from political life, and the Liberal party, as represented at Leeds, has declared by thunders of applause that it will revenge itself upon the authors of the conspiracy. All which does not look like reconciliation but rather like war to the knife. And meantime MORLEY is second in command, the next man in the party to GLADSTONE.

ONTARIO'S GENERAL ELECTION.

The MOWAT government kept its intended dissolution of the Legislature a profound secret, not one outside the cabinet and His Honor the Lieut.-Governor, it is reported, knew anything of the dissolution until the announcement appeared in the *Globe* of Tuesday morning, the 16th; and not until an advanced hour in the morning of that day was that journal taken into the confidence of the government on the subject. The *coup d'etat* was as sudden as it was unexpected and fell upon the electors like a thunder clap in a clear and a cloudless sky. In making the announcement the *Globe* says:

> In tendering to the Lieutenant-Governor the advice which he has accepted, Mr. Mowat has been actuated by a profound sense of the duties imposed upon him by constitutional usages. It has been the invariable rule for British Parliaments, after the franchise has been widened, to sit no longer than has been absolutely required for the transaction of indispensable necessary business.
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> In Ontario the franchise has been materially changed in two directions. On the one hand voting power has been conferred upon scores of thousands of hitherto voiceless citizens; on the other the franchise has been taken away from non-resident property owners, and the principle of "One man one vote" has been definitely and fully recognized.
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> In a double sense, therefore, the House which has just been dissolved, has ceased to represent the people, and Mr. Mowat, recognizing the fact, determined to act, as he always does act, courageously and promptly, and to appeal for a renewal of the confidence bestowed upon him.
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> We now call upon the people of Ontario to exercise with wisdom the power that has been placed in their hands. Their tried and trusty Premier, after more than fourteen years of services, the importance and faithfulness of which it is impossible to exaggerate, asks for a renewal of the trust he has so nobly performed. He can point to a record of achievements which cannot be paralleled in this or any other country where constitutional government prevails. Under his fostering care Ontario has taken a position at the head in many respects of all the Anglo-Saxon communities. Instead of the huge debts under which other communities labor, Ontario has a surplus of nearly seven millions. She has besides invested millions in aiding railways, and has returned to the municipalities millions in aid of local taxation. She has set on foot public institutions which are the admiration and envy of foreign experts. Thanks entirely to Mr. Mowat and his colleagues, she possesses one hundred thousand square miles of virgin territory which, if a traitorous Opposition could have had its way, would have been given over as a prey to the Dominion sharks. And thanks, also, to Mr. Mowat and his colleagues, her legislative powers have been maintained and have not been curtailed and mangled as they would have been had the same traitorous Opposition achieved its fell purposes.

As already stated in THE TIMES the nominations take place on the 22nd Dec., and the polling on Wednesday, the 29th. Many regard the elections as being held at a very unfortunate period, in the very midst of the holiday season. No reason as yet has been given for the government having selected the dates named. The campaign, although not protracted, will be one of great bitterness in consequence of the sectarian elements that are certain to enter into the contest.

The Toronto *Mail* considers that the action of the Local government has all the appearance of a snap challenge, and accepting it as such submits its platform relative to legislation for Ontario. That platform has seven planks, which briefly may be summarized thus: (1) Religious equality before law; (2) The enforcement of the Scott Act; (3) Reform of the Education Department—abolition of the political headship; (4) Repeal of the recent coercive amendments to the Separate school law—Protestant property-owners not to be taxed for Separate schools—the ballot in school elections—restoration of the Bible, and the whole Bible, in the Public and High Schools; (5) Decentralization—the municipalities to control and regulate the liquor traffic; (6) Manhood suffrage; (7) A more economical administration of the finances and of the Crown domain. The *Mail* admits that Mr. MOWAT's nominees will receive the solid vote of the "privileged church"—meaning the Roman Catholics—and the bar room vote. With several of the "planks" in the *Mail's* platform we cordially agree and hope the day is not far remote when they will be recognized by our leading politicians and become the law of the land. There, however, are inconsistencies apparent in the policy which the *Mail* desires to be applied to Ontario, while it advocates a diametrically opposite line for the Dominion. The *Mail* is playing a desperate, and we fear, losing game. Few people now put any faith in its utterances. It is indeed a discredited organ by the Conservatives.

PRINCE ALEXANDER had nothing but his pay as a subordinate military officer when he undertook to govern Bulgaria, from which he retired worth over $300,000. This was doing pretty well, and it was no wonder he disliked to leave his dear people. Being a Bulgarian Prince appears about as profitable as being a New York boodle alderman.

THE Duke of Cambridge, the commander-in-chief of the British army, has just issued an order partially rescinding the old rule which imposed a penalty upon all soldiers caught smoking in the streets. Now, during certain prescribed hours, the soldiers may appear in public with their cigars, cigarettes, or clay pipes, and puff the Duke's military genius.

THE Crown Prince of Germany, like VON MOLTKE, is a very silent man. He lives in a quiet, domestic way, and is said to be bitterly opposed to the sentiments of Prince BISMARCK; and this is a source of considerable annoyance to the old Emperor. After his first audience with the Pope his only remark was: "The Pope is a Frenchman."

London HOUSE,
Government Street.
Closing Out SALE.

NEW	Millinery and Bonnets	AT COST
NEW	Felt and Beaver Hats	AT COST
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NEW	Bonnet Ornaments	AT COST
NEW	Fur Capes, Boas & Muffs	AT COST
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NEW	Fur Lined Cloaks	AT COST
NEW	Jersey Cloth Jackets	AT COST
NEW	Fur and Plush Capes	AT COST
NEW	Cashmere Jerseys	AT COST
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NEW	(Boys') Jersey Suits	AT COST
NEW	Eiderdown Cushions	AT COST
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NEW	Winter Gloves	AT COST
NEW	Dress Shirts	AT COST
NEW	Silks and Satins	AT COST
NEW	Plushes	AT COST
NEW	Knitted Goods	AT COST
NEW	Table Covers	AT COST
NEW	Brocaded Cloakings	AT COST
NEW	Comfort Quilts	AT COST
NEW	Blankets	AT COST
NEW	Ribbons	AT COST
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—ALSO—
Full Line of Staple Goods at Cost.
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Builders' Hardware,
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New Fruits,
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OFFER FOR SALE, AT GREATLY REduced rates, the following:

Fine Old Cutter Whiskey,
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ALSO, AN ASSORTMENT OF
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IN BULK AND CASE.
—Keep also on hand—
Tin and Terne Plate,
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FRESH WATER TERMINUS.
City of New Westminster
IMPORTANT
Auction Sale
OF
City Reserves
AND
GARDENS.

A PUBLIC AUCTION will take place at Agricultural Hall, in the City of New Westminster, on

Saturday, Nov. 27th, 1886,

At 8 o'clock in the evening, when the following lots will be submitted to public competition, in accordance with "Land Sale By-Law, 1881," and amendments thereto, viz.:

GOVERNMENT OFFICE GARDENS, Block A.
Lots Nos. 3 and 4.
Lots Nos. 13 to 20, inclusive.
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Lots Nos. 2 to 6, inclusive.
Lots Nos. 8 to 16, inclusive.
Lots Nos. 18, 19, 20, 30, 35 and 36.
ST. PATRICK'S SQUARE, Block D.
Lots 4 to 8, inclusive.
Lots Nos. 10 to 36, inclusive.
ALICE GARDENS, Block E.
Lots Nos. 6, 8, 9 and 10.
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Lots Nos. 1 to 4, inclusive.
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Lots 33 to 36, inclusive.
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Lot No. 6.
ST. GEORGE'S SQUARE, Block H.
Lots Nos. 14 to 20, inclusive.
Lots Nos. 23 to 32, inclusive.
Lots Nos. 34 to 44, inclusive.
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By order,
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Than any other Coal in the market, and
Give Better Satisfaction
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DON'T FORGET THE PLACE.
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DON'T FORGET THE NUMBER.
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Dealers in Best Descriptions
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Do. do. Hungarian do.
Diplomas Awarded at Toronto, London and Ottawa Exhibitions
Eastern Cheese, Oatmeal
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Choice Dairy Packed Butter
IN STOCK AND TO ARRIVE, IN LOTS TO SUIT THE TRADE.
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WHY PAY HIGH PRICES FOR YOUR CLOTHING,
When you can secure the Finest Suits for Men and Boys at Lower Rates than previously offered at the
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We have just received an Elegant Stock of
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They surpass all other Mowers in Workmanship, quality of material, excellence of construction, and in performance of work.
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They are the best Threshing Machines in the world, do the largest amount of work, give the cleanest production, are the best constructed in America.
Portable Engines.
No better Agricultural Engine made; they give satisfaction to Threshers.
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The best in the market for Horse Power; long established repute.
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None to equal them; superior to all others.
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All sizes, from 5½ up to 96 inches in Diameter.
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AT REDUCED PRICE.
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WOOD
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DOOR PLATES
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Yates Street, above Douglas.

DRINK
Grenadine PUNCH
Composed of WHITE ROCK MINERAL WATER and GRENADINE SYRUP.
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ATLANTIC STEAMSHIP LINES,
To or from Great Britain or the Continent.
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FOR SALE,
Craigflower Steam Mills
Now doing a good business. Capable of making the best article of
OATMEAL
In the Province. Also,
A PEARL BARLEY MILL
Together with a SAWMILL, 62-inch Saw. An Oatmeal Miller will find this a rare opportunity.
Apply to
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IN NEW WESTMINSTER for sale. Six Bedrooms, well furnished, Dining Room and Furniture, Kitchen, with Range, Cooking Utensils and Table Ware. Price $1200. Reasons for selling, old age and being unable to attend to the business. Address W., HERALD office, Vancouver. july19

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ONE of the best farms in Cowichan District comprising 160 acres of excellent land about 120 acres on the Flats and under cultivation which produces enormous crops of grain and roots. A great number of cattle, horses, hogs, poultry, etc., and all necessary farm implements including self-binder, mowers, etc. The owner also keeps a store and does a very good general business on the place. For further particulars and terms apply to the owner, Fowke Farm, Cowichan, B. C., or Messrs. Fell & Co., Victoria.

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—OF—
FINE FURS,
Will open business in the New Building of the Bank of British Columbia
On Monday or Tuesday next.
SEAL SKIN COATS
Made to order, Dyed, Altered and Repaired.
Fur Trimmings,
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A Specialty made of Fur Robes.

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100 Choice City Lots
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IN SAMUEL GREER'S SUBDIVISION OF Thirty Acres, fronting on English Bay, adjoining the location of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company's WORKSHOPS, ROUND HOUSE and Terminal Buildings. This is the most desirable property on English Bay and must increase rapidly in value.
Prices are low and terms so reasonable as to place them within the reach of every one.
Plans of lots, prices and conditions, can be obtained on application to
SAMUEL GREER,
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Empire Brewery.
HENNING PETERS, late of the Lion Brewery is now prepared to supply the trade and families with all kinds of
Beer, Ale and Porter.
The Brewery is situated on Spring Ridge, and is built over a well of pure, ever running spring water. This fact enables me to manufacture the very finest brands, equal to any imported Ale, Beer and Porter.
The machinery used is of latest pattern, the ingredients are pure water, malt and hops, and a trial is only necessary to convince that the brands are the finest manufactured in the Province.
All orders for city supply, or for shipment to Island or Mainland points will receive prompt attention and a satisfactory article furnished.
HENNING PETERS,
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M. LENZ,
DEALER IN
Wholesale Dry Goods,
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HAS REMOVED TO THE
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LOAN OFFICE.
Money advanced on Watches, Diamonds and Jewelry of all kinds, Guns, Pistols, Trunks and contents, &c., &c.
☞ UNREDEEMED PLEDGES for sale
Business strictly confidential.
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Opposite Railroad Hotel. P.O. Box 650.

H. R. ELLA,
SOLE AGENT FOR
J. H. Cutter Bourbon Whiskey
Val. Blatz Milwaukee Beer,
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Has also an assortment of
Wines and Liquors.
Samples—
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Produce and Commission Merchant,
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DEALER IN
Eastern Cheese, Butter, Hams, Bacon, Lard, Flour and Oatmeal.
Island and Mainland produce handled on Commission. Liberal advances made. Consignments of all kinds of produce solicited.
sep30

W. BUCKETT
Truck & Drayman,
BEGS to inform patrons and public generally that he is still to be found on the OLD STAND, YATES STREET, and hopes, by strict attention to business, to receive a share of their patronage. My name will appear on all trucks and drays. All orders left at Baker and Sons, Yates Street, or the Fashion Stables, Fort Street, will receive prompt attention. Ag 3-1mo

LOWENBERG, HARRIS & CO.,
Real Estate Agents.
PURCHASE, SELL AND LEASE PROPerty, collect rents, make loans on mortgage and transact all business relating to
REAL ESTATE.
Maps showing the various districts on Island and Mainland, the situation of desirable City Lots, Homesteads, Gardening and Farm Lands can be consulted at their offices. fal9

BROWN'S
Climax Washing Powder.
Awarded First Prize at B. C. Exhibition.
Increased sales. REDUCED PRICES.
Large packages, 40c; do. small, 20c
FOR SALE BY ALL GROCERS.
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TOWN OF FARWELL
Lots for Sale.
ALLSOP & MASON.

D. M. EBERTS. W. J. TAYLOR.
Eberts & Taylor,
BARRISTERS & SOLICITORS,
Langley Street Victoria
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The Daily Times.

Victoria, Wednesday, Nov. 24, 1886.

FORCED APART.

BY W. CLARK RUSSELL.

Author of the "Wreck of the Grosvenor," "A Sailor's Sweetheart," &c.

CHAPTER XXIV.—Continued.

"Do you tell me that my darling is carried away to sea?" she said, in a febrile whisper.

"'Tis what his father believes."

"And that Dr. Shaw hath proved me his son's wife to my father?"

"Yes, indeed. He came with a paper, and the sight of it hath killed thy father. His heart is broken for the wrong he has done his only one!" wailed the mother. "Oh, Jenny, do not delay! There is a coach at the door. Make haste to put on your hat. You would not let him be moaning for thee in dying sorrow and not come?"

She looked at her mother with a wonderful expression of troubled amazement and incredulous horror in her eyes, then took up her hat, and in a few minutes was ready to depart. As she left the room she met Mrs. Walker, into whose hand she slipped a guinea, giving her a sweet, strange smile as she did so, but quite powerless to speak.

The woman, much affected by Jenny's munificence, put the little trunk into the coach, and low and numerous were the courtesies she dropped as it drove off.

The rattle of wheel and window, if not a prohibition to speech, was a decided obstacle to the hearing. But Mrs. Strangfield had too much to say to hold her peace. With her child's hand locked in hers she poured her heart into Jenny's ear, and all the story of Dr. Shaw's visit told her, and the medical man's judgment on Michael's condition, with whatever else that her head was giddy with—sometimes reproaching and sometimes breaking into passionate exclamations of rapture, which thoughts of her husband would inevitably choke; silent scarcely ever, and of the matter of her volubility leaving Jenny, amid the roar of the coach, in possession of but very small fragments.

And the girl?

Her father knew at last that she was honest, and for a brief while had exultation, of the kind that inflames the madman's eye, swelled until it had sickened his heart with the force and fullness of it. But the emotion died under the heavy droop of humiliated honor. She had won back her name, but what had the victory cost her? Her husband was gone, her father was dying, her heart was wounded and bleeding badly.

The bitter passion of shame that had driven her from Greystone revisited her again when the coach entered the High street, and she leaned back and involuntarily drew her veil over her face. The mother stopped the coach at the corner of the street, that the jar of the wheels might not penetrate the resonant wooden house, and alighted with her daughter, and both of them went quickly in.

"Mother," whispered Jenny, standing in the passage as a stranger might, "I will stay here till you have seen him."

"In the parlor, then, dearest, and rest thee. Oh, Jenny, pray God to spare him! He is thy father."

Softly the poor woman climbed the stairs, and Jenny went into the little room which, in all her life, she had vowed never again to enter. Speculating, she stood, wondering how it had befallen that her mother had come so speedily.

Then through the doorway came a whisper—"Jenny!"

She went out, and on the stairs she saw her mother, who for despair could only beckon or toss her hands. She followed Mrs. Strangfield upstairs, with a creeping chill over her limbs, and the sensation of a thousand quivering fibers in her body.

In the bedroom near the bed were two figures whom she could not immediately distinguish for the feeble light in the chamber; but she speedily found that one was Mrs. Mead and the other the doctor.

Both figures drew away when mother and daughter came into the room. Mrs. Strangfield went to the bedside, and, bending over the motionless form upon it, said, in a whisper of exquisite sadness:

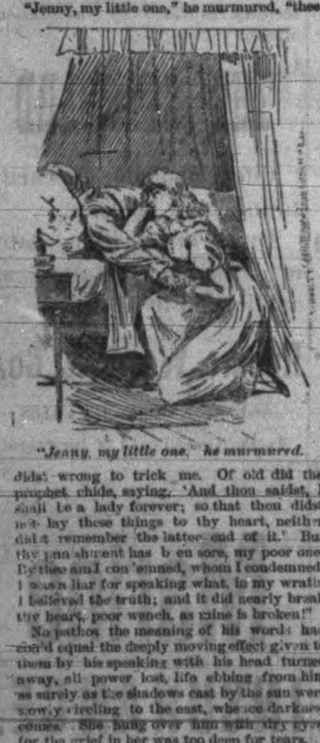
"Michael, Jenny is here. Wilt thou speak to her?"

For some moments there was no answer. At last, in a faint, hoarse murmur, the dying man said:

"Let her take my hand and kiss me. Jane, thee knowest that I cannot move."

The girl went to her father, and put her hand into his and kissed his forehead.

"Jenny, my little one," he murmured, "thee didst wrong to trick me. Of old did the prophet chide, saying, 'And thou saidst, I shall be a lady forever; so that thou didst not lay these things to thy heart, neither didst remember the latter end of it.' But thy punishment has been sore, my poor one. By thee am I condemned, whom I condemned. I was a liar for speaking what, in my wrath, I believed the truth; and it did nearly break thy heart, poor wench, as mine is broken!"



"Jenny, my little one," he murmured.

No pathos the meaning of his words had could equal the deeply moving effect given to them by his speaking with his head turned away, all power lost, life ebbing from him as surely as the shadows cast by the sun were slowly circling to the east, whence darkness comes. She hung over him with dry eyes, for the grief in her was too deep for tears.

"Father," she whispered, "I wronged thee by loving secretly; but has not my husband's going wrung my heart with punishment enough? Truly, I was innocent of worse sin than deceit; and now that you know I am innocent, and bear with my kisses, I could be happy to die."

No answer did he return, and he began to breathe heavily; on which the doctor came gently to her, and would have led her from the bed; but the father had a grip of her hand, and she would not disengage his hold.

Said the mother, in a feeble whisper:

"Is there no hope?"

The doctor shook his head, and let his chin fall on his breast, and stood quiet, with his hands clasped.

No more was said.

What was killing him, God knows! Not paralysis only, nor yet a broken heart. Yet visibly was he dying, and the difficult breath grew slower and weaker; and within an hour from Jenny's return to her home the breath in him was gone and the body growing cold. He passed away amid a deep stillness in the room; and Jenny herself, who was near him, knew not that he was dead, until a strangeness in the hold of his fingers made her shriek out.

Thus did it come about; and the mother and daughter wept in each other's arms while the doctor glided noiselessly from the house, and Mrs. Mead tenderly closed the dead man's eyes and veiled the marble [illegible] his face.

To be continued.

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—Fred P. Hanchett.

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The Daily Times.

Published every afternoon except Sunday.

Victoria, Wednesday, Nov. 24, 1886.

CITY AND PROVINCE.

—The next attraction at the Victoria theatre will be the McGibney family, opening here some time next week.

—Manager Beede has a comic opera attraction some time during December for the Victoria theatre.

—Photographic views along the line of the C. P. R. in B. C., for sale at R. MAYNARD's, Douglas St.

—Bavaria beer, five cents per glass, at the Royal Hotel, cor. Fort & Douglas streets. *

—A Seattle paper says U. S. Consul Stevens will spend a portion of the coming winter there.

—A. W. Ross and Goldwin Smith will be candidates in Lisgar for the House of Commons.

—A Vancouver Chinaman has been fined $275 for selling opium without a license. He is now buck-sawing wood for the corporation.

—Mr. W. H. Mason has returned to the city and will resume business at the old stand corner Trounce Alley and Broad street. *

—Twelve members of the Sinaloa Colony of Mexico, with their families, will leave Seattle on the Mexico next Friday for their new home.

—Fresh oysters by the bottle delivered to all parts of the city. Young Bros., New England Bakery, Government street, between Yates and Johnson streets. *

—Philharmonic Hall as a place of amusement is a thing of the past. It will shortly be transformed into a lodging house.

—At the police court this forenoon, there was only one case: Neil McKinnon was charged with being of unsound mind, but was discharged.

—The weather to-day was generally boisterous, although not cold. A beautiful rainbow spanned the northern sky during the forenoon.

—The purchase of the four lots from Mr. E. B. Carmichael, for the low service reservoir, was completed to-day and the price ($3250) paid by the Council.

—In consequence of the cyclonic condition of the atmosphere, there is very little probability that the Sound or mainland steamers will show up until near midnight.

—Those who wish to send their photos to the "old country" in time for Xmas, would do well to sit now and avoid the Xmas rush. HALL & LOWE, Photographers, Government St. *

—The Maple Leaf social club will give their second dance of the season to-morrow evening in the large hall adjoining the Y. M. C. A. rooms in Spencer's Arcade.

—GOODWIN & JORDAN, piano manufacturers, tuning and repairing. FACTORY CORMORANT street, between Douglas and Blanchard. First class work only. Telephone 98; P. O. box 422.

—DeRose and Connolly, the Lytton murderers, have been respited pending an investigation into their sanity. It is asserted by DeRose's friends that he was formerly an inmate of an asylum.

—Owing to the efficient management of the Northern Pacific railway, Messrs. Neufelder & Ross to-day received the first fruits of the season direct from the Levant; eight days from St. Paul and only thirty days from Liverpool. *

—F. C. Innes & Co., Real Estate Brokers, and Financial Agents, Vancouver, B. C., attend promptly to all enquiries about the terminal city; *Free Reading Room* for use of strangers arriving in Vancouver. *

—Last night's performance of Fun in Camp was the first time it was ever produced on any stage. The company decided on commencing at the end of the circuit and work east. The play proper is a very thin one, but nevertheless caused a deal of laughter.

Hall & Quackenbush, Vancouver, B. C have the most complete list of business and suburban properties for sale at the terminus of the Canadian Pacific Railway. Price and terms to suit all parties. Inquiries by mail promptly answered. References. *

—The bark Eudora from the Orient, now at Port Moody, has unloaded a lot of fancy goods for a Japanese bazaar in Tacoma. The prophecy that the N. P. R. would make Tacoma a great port with its many tea ships, seems to be a myth after all.

—A new stage line has been put in operation, running from New Westminster to Lynden, thence to Nooksack and back to New Westminster via Sumas. Besides carrying passengers, the stage carries butter, eggs and produce to British Columbia markets.

—Congratulatory telegrams were received at Port Moody on Saturday from Montreal over one single wire stretched practically from ocean to ocean, on the result of the completion of the work. The distance is nearly 3,000 miles and the messages came through without interruption or repetition.

—In the hurry of making up the second page of to-day's TIMES an editorial paragraph is placed between the third and fourth paragraphs of the extract concerning the Ontario elections copied from the Toronto *Globe*. The oversight was not detected until part of the edition was worked off, when it was corrected.

—It will prove of interest to the admirers of the plucky Jack Dempsey to learn that he offers to stand up before Sullivan for six rounds. He says that he will agree that the winner shall take all the receipts, and in addition he will bet $1000 that Sullivan cannot knock him out in six rounds. He agrees also to fight all the time and not to lie down.

DOMINION ELECTIONS.

A special from Ottawa, by way of New York, on the 23rd, states that a special meeting of the cabinet was held this morning to consider the question of the dissolution of the Dominion Parliament. It was decided to postpone the appeal to the country until the result of the Ontario elections is known. Sir John denies that the resolution was discussed, but from reliable sources it is learned that the meeting was convened for that purpose. The fishery troubles with the United States were considered and representations will at once be made to the British Government covering the outline of agreement wherein Canada's interest would be protected in the event of the Canadian waters being thrown open to American fishermen. The Governor-General was present at the cabinet meeting.

PIANOS AND ORGANS

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MARINE.

HAMBURG, Nov. 24.—Arrived—Bugia, from New York.

NEW YORK, Nov. 24.—Arrived—The Circassia, from Liverpool.

THIS IS A FACT.

Best Canadian butter and cheese at A. Ofner's, corner Government and Fort streets.

READJUSTMENT

Of the Customs Tariff Desired by the Canadian Cigar Makers.

During a recent visit to Montreal, the Hon. Messrs. McLelan and Bowell, by arrangement, held an interview with the cigar makers and cutlery men of that city, who are desirous of having changes made in the tariff. The cigar manufacturers were represented by Messrs. Davis, Fostier, Tasse, Woods, and others. It appears that under the Canadian system the cigar manufacturer pays $6 per thousand on all cigars manufactured from foreign leaf, and on foreign cigars there is a customs duty of $1.20 per pound, and 20 per cent. ad valorem. Under the system in the United States the cigar manufacturers pay $3 pr thousand on all cigars manufactured from foreign leaf, and on foreign cigars there is a customs duty of $2.50 per pound and 25 per cent. ad valorem, and in addition to this an inland revenue tax of $3 per thousand is imposed. Another deputation, composed of three delegates of the Cigar Makers' Union, met Hon. Mr. Bowell in the afternoon for the purpose of obtaining an increase of duty on foreign imported cigars. Then another deputation, representing the Knights of Labor, on behalf of the cutlers employed by the Kennedy Cutlery Company, St. Henri, and asked that the industry be further protected by increased duties, as at present the manufacturers are unable to compete with the United States and Europe. The Ministers promised to give the views of these deputations their most serious consideration at an early date.

STORMY WEATHER.

A heavy windstorm prevailed this afternoon, the wind blowing from the southwest, which made it very unpleasant for pedestrians, especially the fair sex. In the harbor a lively gale raged; the waves were large and white-capped. The position of the scow working on Dredge Rock was changed to the middle of the outer harbor to prevent it from bumping against the posts with which it is surrounded when working. The various craft in the harbor were doubly made fast to the wharves. If the Sound steamer comes over this afternoon, which is doubtful, it will be one of the roughest trips ever encountered by her—the Geo. E. Starr. The barometer marked 29.70, which is low considering a dry wind without heavy clouds to lower the weather indicator. The velocity of the wind was fifty or sixty miles an hour at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

SPRING MOTOR.

J. W. Fawkes, representing the J. W. Fawkes Manufacturing Company of Chicago, has placed on exhibition in the window of the B. C. Stationery and Printing Co., next to the postoffice, a patent spring motor, used for running sewing machines, pleasure boats, lathes, pumps, churns and all light powers. This company also manufactures quite extensively revolving display cases for all lines of goods, making the most attractive display known, as anything in motion catches the eyes and arrests the attention where all else fail. The power of this motor can be increased at will simply by the application of an increased number of springs, and with the use of the air governor any speed that may be desired. J. W. Fawkes, the inventor, was formerly known as the steam plowman of 1859. The B. C. S. & P. Co. have secured the agency for British Columbia. *

TERRIFIC WIND.

A perfect gale has been blowing from the southwest all afternoon, and it will not be surprising if marine casualties are reported as a result of the storm. A lady, while crossing James Bay bridge was blown violently across from the west to the east side by the force of the wind and catching the railing held on until a calm came, and then made good time to the south side.

The cable scow, Election, the property of the Dominion government, broke loose from her moorings, near the Customs House, and went on a picnicking trip on her own account around the harbor. When last heard of she was in the vicinity of the rocks near Sehl's factory.

FUN IN CAMP.

The Victoria was not crowded last night to hear the Eckert-Leighton Musical Comedy Co. in the somewhat odd combination called "Fun in Camp," but those who were present seemed to appreciate the efforts of the company to entertain them. Miss Leighton is the best actress and the sweetest singer in the company. Mr. Eckert, a tenor, and Mr. Frillman, a basso of great compass of voice, were warmly received in their several contributions. The xylophone performance was the best of the kind we have heard, and was encored. To-night there will be a partially changed programme.

A MAN MISSING.

Mr. Brown, who has been acting as clerk in Mr. J. P. Walls' law office, has not been seen since Thursday evening, at 10:30, when he is known to have been on Johnson street, intoxicated. As he had about $150 on him at the time, and there is not the slightest reason to think that he has absconded, it is feared that he may have met with an accident. He is a Scotchman, aged about 33, short-sighted and of medium stature.

THE LATE W. STERLING.

The funeral of the late Wm. Sterling, will take place to-morrow at 1:30 p. m. from the residence corner of Mears and Cook streets. The B. C. Pioneer Society, of which deceased was a member, will attend in a body and will meet at 1 p. m. for that purpose. Coroner Jackson concluded that there was no necessity for an inquest, as the cause of death was undoubtedly heart disease.

ODD FELLOWS' SOCIAL.

The social to be given by the Odd Fellows in their hall, Douglas street, on Friday evening next promises to be largely attended. The affair will be select, as a limited number of invitations—only 100—are to be issued at $1 each.

AUCTION SALE.

At 10 a.m. to-morrow, Mr. Joshua Davies will sell at auction the effects belonging to the Mechanics' Institute, at the Philharmonic. Many useful articles are embraced in the list, suitable for various purposes.

THE CONCORDIA.

There is a great treat for the theatre goers this week, as the five new stars produce some excellent business. They are all good; but lack of space keeps us from mentioning each in particular. No increase in prices.

OVERLAND PASSENGERS.

ROGERS' PASS, Nov. 24.—Following are the passengers on west bound Pacific Express: Mary McGuirney, Vancouver; Mary Fitzgerald and Medora Seppell, San Francisco.

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Something new in Photo Albums, at B. C. S. & P. Co.'s, next door to Post Office.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. Harry Helmcken came down from the mainland last night.

Mr. D. W. Higgins arrived home last night.

Mr. and Miss A. T. Galt, Lethbridge, are at the Driard.

Mr. F. P. McMullen, Portland, is in the city.

Mr. John McCully, of Clinton, arrived down last evening en route to California.

Mr. Geo. Morison, druggist, we are pleased to learn, is rapidly improving in health after a severe illness.

Supt. Roycraft is at Nanaimo to-day holding an inquest on the bodies of the two Chinamen killed in the V. C. mine the other day.

At the Clarence: C. B. Race, New Orleans; D. Smith, Nanaimo; Mrs. W. V. Rankin, New Westminster; D. W. Morrow, J. A. Carthew, J. W. Sinclair.

Mr. Walter Gravely, real estate agent, Vancouver, departed by last Saturday's train for the east. He will hibernate in the frigid east, spending most of his time in New York city.

Capt. John Irving will leave by Saturday's steamer for San Francisco to close the contract for the construction of the new and swift steamer to be placed on the Victoria and Vancouver route.

Mr. A. C. Wells, of Chilliwhack, president of the B. C. Agricultural Association, is in the city.

Mr. John Meagher, jr., of the firm of Meagher Bros., extensive wholesale liquor importers, Montreal, is registered at the Driard.

Supt. J. H. Lamb, of the W. U. Telegraph Co., Portland, left for the mainland this morning. He will return home by way of Victoria.

Dr. and Mrs. MacLean are in the city, having arrived yesterday from the mainland.

At the Oriental: D. B. Gratton, New Westminster; H. Brackman, Saanich; Jno. A. Parker, Tacoma; J. Hemans, Kamloops; J. Robertson, Barnard Castle; J. A. Sully, Metcalf; M. Manson, Nanaimo; S. McDonald, Kamloops; Geo. H. Whitney, T. N. Laws, Victoria.

Mr. Amos Bowman, geologist, who has been with his family at Sumas since coming down from Cariboo, left for Ottawa on Tuesday. He will there complete his reports, maps, &c., and will be occupied all winter in their preparation.

Mr. John Hyde, President of the Chicago bureau of railway literature, will write a descriptive handbook of the Canadian Pacific route for that company. Mr. Hyde arrived from the east last night in prosecution of the work.

At the Driard: F. H. Lamb, Portland; R. J. Campbell, John Odire, J. A. Black, San Francisco; F. P. McMullen, E. E. Sherwood, Portland; T. E. Ladner, Ladner's Landing; John Hyde, Chicago; F. G. Simpson, Winnipeg; G. W. Meagher, Jr., Montreal.

Passengers from Burrard Inlet by the Princess Louise Tuesday evening: D W Higgins, Eagleson, W Gibbs, R McDonald, J Grant, A J Sully, Chas Kelley, J Daly, F B Jones, G Hyde, Sally Lee, Jno McCue, Miss M B Rankin, Miss McDonald, W Grant, H Helmcken, Mrs Langley, F Lewis, Thicke, J B Hill, E Heiser and wife, Cassy, J Long.

Mr. McT. Campbell, the special agent of the Canada Life Assurance Company, returns east to Winnipeg in the morning. During his visit to this province he has been eminently successful in securing risks for this excellent reliable Canadian Company, whose management has been such as to place the "Canada Life" second to none anywhere. Mr. A. W. Jones, of Crossdaile & Jones, is the resident agent of the company in this city.

Mr. C. L. Hanson, the fruit king of British Columbia, is in the city. He is collecting samples of B. C. fruit for the holiday season in the east. Some of these samples will open the eyes of our eastern cousins, who have hitherto labored under the belief that British Columbia was incapable of producing any thing else but lofty mountains, large rivers, gigantic trees and myriads of all the varieties of finny tribe. His Worship's portly and truly aldermanic proportions gave the eastern people an impression that B. C. also excelled in her big men and stately women.

AUTUMN ASSIZES.

Concluded To-day—Sentences Passed Upon the Prisoners.

WEDNESDAY, Nov. 24.

The autumn assizes, over which Mr. Justice Crease has presided, have undoubtedly been conducted with as great expedition on the part of bench, bar and jury as was compatible with the character of the business on hand. The work was really brought to an end last evening upon the completion of the case against Tai Ho, the old Celestial hag, who was indicted for cruel treatment of a little girl. To-day, the case against Chin Ah Jing, for larceny, was adjourned until next assizes, bail being fixed at $300 and two sureties at $150 each.

SENTENCES.

The prisoners were brought into court and received their sentences as follows:

T. McGovern, larceny, two years in penitentiary with hard labor.

Edward Hughes, stealing from person, six mouths' imprisonment with hard labor.

Ah Sing, perjury, two years in penitentiary with hard labor.

Tai Ho, unlawful and malicious assault upon Yonk Lin, a Chinese girl, one year on first count and one year on second count, in penitentiary, running concurrently.

Christopher Webb, unlawful wounding, one year from date of commitment, which was August 10th, 1886.

The venue was changed in the Embleton case (procuring abortion) to Nanaimo where it will be tried at next assizes.

MUSIC! MUSIC!!

M. W. WAITT & Co. have just received from London and Chicago a fine assortment of BAND INSTRUMENTS, which have been marked at extremely low prices; also, a splendid stock of GUITARS, BANJOS, VIOLINS, ACCORDEONS, and other Instruments, which will be sold at reasonable figures.

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MARINE ITEMS.

The American ship Carondelet, 16 days out from Liverpool, and bound for Tacoma, has put in at Madeira with her hatches stove in.

The Barbara Boscowitz will sail from Spratt's wharf for the north to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The U. S. cutter Oliver Wolcott, Capt. Moore, arrived from Port Townsend yesterday and left this morning for Neah Bay.

The schooner Active has been chartered by a Chinese firm to convey supplies of rice &c., and Chinamen, to Clayoquot, where about 100 Chinamen are now working. She will leave the end of this week.

IRON BEACONS.

An Ottawa dispatch says: Anderson, engineer of the Department of Marine, has prepared plans for an iron beacon to be erected on Enterprise reef, Pacific Coast. This is but part of a general system for improving the navigation between the ocean and the railway system in British Columbia.

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Hacks furnished any hour of Day or Night.

TELEPHONE CALL 129.

Regular customers having monthly accounts of over $15 will be entitled to a discount of 10 per cent. on above rates.

Having a large number of Carriages, the Company are always in a position to fill an order.

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NEW TO-DAY.

B. C. Pioneer Society.

THE members are requested to meet at their Hall, at 1 P. M. on THURSDAY, Nov. 25th, to attend the funeral of their late brother W. STERLING.

By order, W. C. SIFFKEN, Secretary.

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G. H. MAYNARD'S Advertisement will appear in this space tomorrow. Look out for it.

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PUBLIC AUCTION

On the Premises, Fort Street,

On Thursday, Nov. 25. 1886,

AT 10 O'CLOCK. A.M.,

FINE DROP CURTAINS,

Stage and Moveable Scenery

SLIDES, WINGS,

FIVE DROP SCENES,

3 Platforms for raising seats, Partitions,

Dressingroom Stove and Fittings,

Gas Fixtures, Tressels, Tables,

18 Benches, Carpets,

300 Wood half-arm Chairs,

40 Arm Chairs,

Tables, Ewer and Basin,

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Blinds, Mats, Lamps,

Fine carved Desk.

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Desks, Chairs, Tables,

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Gas Fittings.

TERMS CASH.

JOSHUA DAVIES, Auctioneer

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Preliminary Notice.

Customs Sale.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

AUCTIONEERS,

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Gold Vest Chains and Guards, assorted Rings, Gold Brooches and Earrings, Gold Cuff Pins.

Diamond Jewelry.

Lockets, Earrings, Bracelets, Collar Buttons, Rings, Sleeve Buttons, Brooches Studs, Pins.

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"MEXICO,"

CAPTAIN HUNTINGTON.

Will sail from Victoria wharf, outer harbor, for San Francisco on

Saturday, Nov. 27, at 1 p. m.

Intending Shippers are requested to make arrangements for Freight as early as possible, so that room may be reserved for their shipments. Freight for shipment by her is required to be on the wharf of the undersigned by 4 o'clock p. m. on Friday, Nov. 26.

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